

## Wet weather specials

Yellow jacket & pant set

- \$ 19.95 (Save \$10.00)

Seal flex jacket & pant combo

- \$250.00 (Save \$12.00)



Two little old ladies, Gwendolyn & Jackie were sitting on a park bench outside the local town hall where a flower show was in progress.

The short one, Jackie leaned over and said,

'Life is so boring. We never have any fun any more. For \$10.00 I'd take my clothes off and streak through that stupid, boring flower show!'

'You're on!' said Gwendolyn, holding up a \$10.00 note.

So Jackie slowly fumbled her way out of her clothes and, completely naked, streaked (as fast as an old lady can) through the front door of the flower show.

Waiting outside, her friend soon heard a huge commotion inside the hall, followed by loud applause and shrill whistling.

Finally, the smiling Jackie came through the exit door surrounded by a cheering, clapping crowd.

'What happened?' asked her waiting friend.

'I won \$1,000 as 1st prize for 'Best Dried Arrangement... !'

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## AUGUST ARTICLES

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# FARM EXPO

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## Farm Expo

IN-STORE

WEDNESDAY 25TH SEPTEMBER

**An exciting range of products will be featured during the day event. The day will feature products relating to marron farming, animal health, cattle handling, stock monitoring and fencing.**

**A program listing the times of the presentations will be available in next months newsletter, in-store or for further information go to our website [www.donnybrookfarmservice.com](http://www.donnybrookfarmservice.com)**

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COME AND HAVE SOME FUN AND TALK TO ONE OF OUR FRIENDLY TEAM**

## WOOLLY APPLE APHID CONTROL

**– Now is the time!**

Spraying for Woolly Apple Aphid (WAA) is the last thing on the minds of apple growers at this time of the year, but now is the perfect time to control this troublesome insect. At this time of the year, the insects are in the ground around the tree roots. Damage is being done to the tree roots but the time the insect is seen is during summer.

Crawlers emerge from the ground in early summer and move into the tree canopy where they can be seen as a white cotton-wool appearance on the new fruiting wood. The insect is under the woolly layer and this covering is very effective in repelling insecticides applied during summer, making control difficult. If left uncontrolled, the WAA attack the fruiting wood and destroy new fruiting buds, causing considerable damage and loss of crop.

Mid-winter when the ground is saturated is the ideal time to use Confidor Guard. This product is applied as a butt drench approximately 30-40cm above the ground and allowed to run down the trunk. Rain while the chemical is applied or soon after is ideal as this takes the chemical into the ground and kills the crawlers.

Applied in this way, three years control of the insect is achieved. An applicator to deliver the 1-1.5 litre dose per tree is available through Donnybrook Farm Service. It can be fitted to a tractor and is activated via a trip lever when the tree butt is struck. See John or Glenn to book its use.

